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Sisson's Peonies and Gladioli

1925-1926 List—Retail Only

W. A. SISSON, MANAGER



GROWN by Wilbur A. Sisson and Wilbur A. Lawson, Rosendale, Wisconsin. Members of the American Peony Society and American Gladiolus Society.



Offer Expires July 15, 1925

THE SISSION MEMORIAL PRIZE OF \$200.00 FOR A NEW PINK PEONY

Founded by W. A. Sisson of Rosendale, Wisconsin, in honor of his mother, Pamelia Whitcomb Sisson, 1833-1920.

Conditions of competition:

1. The winning variety must be a peony in a shade of deep pink, not previously introduced into commerce.

It must be approved by the judges as an important addition to best existing varieties.

- 2. The prize shall be open for competition from May 15, 1921, to July 15, 1925, unless it be awarded before the latter date.
- 3. The prize is to be awarded by the Nomenclature Committee of the American Peony Society for blooms shown at an annual exhibition of that society.
- 4. At least three blooms must be shown, with not less than 15-inch stems, with foliage.
- 5. The winning variety is to be named Pamelia Sisson, and a root of it is to be presented to W. A. Sisson.

NEW SEEDLINGS

We pride ourselves on keeping up to the minute in all worth-while new seedlings. This is the second year that we have listed all of Judge Vories, C. N. Wettengel's, W. L. Gumm's as well as all the old growers. We buy practically every new seeding that has a price on it, the minute it is announced.

TESTIMONIALS NOT PUBLISHED

Every grower that gets out a list or catalogue has from one to sixteen pages of testimonial letters of flattering praise. We receive quite a number of such letters, but have never published any as we consider this private matter not meant for publication. Probably anyone that knows about peonies, knows of Sisson's Peonies, Rosendale. Wis. However, if you do not know us and send us any money, rest assured it will be returned to you in full unless we can satisfy and please you. On receipt of roots from us, if they do not look right to you, return at once at our expense and we will refund in full. Further, we will make good to you for your time and trouble. A trial order for early September delivery will give you first-hand information. you like us you will then have ample time to place a second order.

STATEMENT

The home garden is located in the village of Rosendale at the home of W. A. Sisson, where the exhibition garden is on display. Tulips in May, Peonies in June and Gladioli for the balance of the season.

Rosendale village is on a triangle with Oshkosh and Fond du Lac at the intersection of Highway No. 26 and Highway No. 23. Twelve miles from Fond du Lac on cement road and sixteen miles from Oshkosh on gravel road.

The Farm garden is located one mile directly

north of the village on W. A. Lawson's Elmway farm. In a few years we hope to have several acres of flowers.

FALL ORDERS ONLY

Orders will be accepted any time, but under no circumstances will they be filled except in the fall, from about September first to freeze-up. At this time the roots are dormant and are easily handled.

HOW TO PLANT

We ship mostly to private parties who are making high class collections and they know how to plant. If you wish any instructions or desire our views in this matter, please write us.

RETAIL ONLY

We are strictly retail and have not sufficient stock to offer anything in a wholesale way.

GRATIS ROOTS

We find great pleasure in sending out gratis roots with orders. In doing so we prefer to give you what you really covet, and not just anything that is convenient for us to throw in. Please name over a dozen or so that would be acceptable to you and we will make a selection.

SIZE OF ROOTS

There is now such a confusion over descriptions covering size of roots shipped out by various firms and persons, that it would be futile for us to add thereto. We send out what we cansider to be satisfactory planting size. Each root must have two good strong eyes and will probably have more unless it is an expensive novelty or of the scarce varieties. We guarantee to please you or refund your money.

WE PAY CARRIAGE

We like to pay our own expenses and so we place your order in your hands, prepaid carriage.

OUR GUARANTEE

In a word we guarantee to please you in every way or failing in this we will cheerfully refund your money. Write us from year to year, how roots you have bought from us have done. Please give us a chance to make good in any way, wherein it appears we were at fault.

All prices quoted subject to change without

notice.

AMERICAN PEONY SOCIETY

All Peony lovers should join the American Peony Society and receive such helps as they offer. Fee, \$3. Apply through us.

THE FLOWER GROWER

To all who love flowers, we recommend The Flower Grower, Calcium, N. Y., published monthly, price \$1.50 per year. The best flower paper published. Order through us.

Reference: Rosendale State Bank.

SISSON'S PEONIES W. A. Sisson, Mgr.

Rosendale, Wisconsin

SISSON'S PEONIES

List No. 1-Price, \$1 each.

Adolphe Rousseau (D. and M. 1892) Achille (Calot 1855)

Agida (Unknown)

Aksarben (Ros. 1908)

Albatre (Crousse 1855)

Albert Crousse (Crousse 1893)

Alexander Dumas (Guerin 1862)

Alexandria (Calot 1856)

Alice De Julvecourt (Pele. 1857)

Andre Lauries (Crousse 1881) Armandine Mechin (Mechin 1880)

Asa Gray (Crousse 1886)

Atrosanguinea (Calot 1850)

Auguste Lemonier (Calot 1865)

Auguste Vilaume (Crousse 1895)

Auguste d'Hour (Calot 1867)

Aurore (Dessert 1904)

Avalanche (Crousse 1886)

Beaute de Villecante (Gambault 1856)

Bertha (Terry)

Berlioz (Crousse 1886)

Boadicae (Unknown)

Boule De Neige (Calot 1862)

Cameron (Crousse 1879)

Canari (Guerin 1861)

Candidissima (Calot 1856)

Charlemagne (Crousse 1880)

Claire Dubois (Crousse 1886)

Claude Gelee (Lemoine 1904)

Clio (Peterson 1901)

Comodore Emge (Brand 1913)

Constant Devred (Calot 1868)

Couronne d'Or (Calot 1873)

Crimson Victory (Rosenfield 1908)

De Candolie (Verdier 1860)

Defiance (Terry)

Delachei (Delache 1856)

Delicatissima (Unknown)

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Denis Helye (Verdier 1860)
Dr. Boisduval (Guerin 1850)
Dr. Caillot (Verdier 1856)
Derchester (Richardson 1870)
Duchesse De Nemours (Calot 1856)
Duc de Wellington (Calot 1859)
Duke of Clarence (Kelway)
Edouard Andre (Mechin 1874)
Edulis Superba (Lemon 1824)
Emma (Terry)
Emperor Nicholas (Crousse 1897)
Etta (Terry)
Eugene Bigot (Dessert 1894)
Eugenie Verdier (Calot 1864)
Felix Crousse (Crousse 1881)
Festiva Maxima (Miellez 1851)
Floral Treasure
General Dodds (Crousse 1893)
Germaine Bigot (Dessert 1902)
Gigantea (Calot 1860)
Gleire De Chas, Gembault (Gembault 1866)
Glori d Douai (Kelway)
Golden Harvest (Rosenfield 1900)
Golden Wedding (Pleas 1900)
Governor Johnson (Brand 1907)
Grandiflora (Richardson 1883)
Grandiflora Rubra (Unknown)
Henri Demay (Calot 1866)
Jeanne d'Arc (Calot 1866)
Jeannette Oppligre (Brand 1913)
King Phillip (Raymond)
La Brune (Verdier 1860)
La Coquette (Guerin 1861)
Lady Leanora Bramwell (Verdier 1854)
La Grange (Unkown)
La Perle (Crousse 1885)
La Rosiere (Crousse 1888)
La Sublime (Parmentier 1850)
La Tendresse (Crousse 1896)
La Tulipe (Calot 1872)
L'Ecletante (Calot 1860)
L'Indespensable (Unknown)
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Little Sweetheart (Brand 1907)
Livingstone (Crousse 1879)
Louis Van Houtte (Calot 1867)
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Lynda (Brand 1907)

Mad. Barrilet Des Champs (Calot 1868)

Mad. Boulanger (Crousse 1886)

Mad. Bucquet (Dessert 1888) Mad. Crousse (Calot 1866)

Mad. De Galhau (Crousse 1883)

Mad. De Verneville (Crousse 1885)

Mad. De Vatry (Guerin 1863)

Mad. Ducel (Mechin 1880)

Mad. Emile Galle (Crousse 1881)

Mad. Emile Lemoine (Lemoine 1899)

Mad. Forel (Crousse 1881)

Mad. Geissler (Crousse 1880)

Mad. Lebon (Calot 1855)

Mad. Lemoine (Calot 1865)

Mad. Mechin (Mechen 1880)

Marechal Mac Mahon (Calot)

Marechal Valliant (Calot 1864)

Marguerite Gerard (Crousse 1892) Marie Lemoine (Calot 1869)

Marie Stuart (Calot 1856)

Mattie Charles (Pleas)

Masterpiece (Kelway 1895)

Mathilde de Roseneck (Crousse 1883)

Meissonier (Crousse 1886)

Mireille (Crousse 1894)

Modele de Perfection (Crousse 1875)

Modeste Guerin (Guerin 1845)

Mons Dupont (Calot 1872)

Mons Jules Elie (Crousse 1888)

Mons Krelage (Crousse 1883)

Nelly Pleas (Pleas)

Nobleissima (Meillez 1858)

Octavie Demay (Calot 1867)

Officinalis Alba (Grand-Mother's Garden)

Officinalis Rosea (Grand-Mother's Garden)

Officinalis Rubra (Grand-Mother's Garden)

Perfection (Richardson 1869)

Peter the Great (Kelway)

Philomele (Calot 1861) Pierre Dessert (D. and M. 1890) Plutarch (Kelway) Pottsi (Potts 1882) Pres. Roosevelt (Holland 1905) Prince Imperial (Calot 1859) Princess of Wales (Kelway) Purpurea Superba (Delachi 1855) Princess Beatrice (Kelway 1866) Queen of the Pleasance (Pleas 1899) Rachel (Terry) Red Cross (Hollis 1904) Red Jacket (Harrison) Rose d'Amour (Calot 1857) Rose Here (Brand 1907) Rubens (Delachi 1854) Rubra Superba (Richardson 1871) Rubra Triumphans (Delachi 1854) Sisters Annie (Brand 1907) Solfatare (Calot 1861) Souvenir De L'Exposition De Bordeaux (Dessert 1896) Souvenir De L'Exposition Universelle (Calot 1867) Susan B. Anthony (Brand 1907) Suzanne Dessert (Dessert & Mechin 1890) Triomphe De L'Exposition De Lille (Calot 1865) Umbellata Rosea (Unknown)

Victor Hugo (Crousse 1885) Victoria Tricolor (Van Houtte) Ville de Nancy (Calot 1872) Welcome Guest (Hollis)

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Addielanchie (Brand)\$	15.00
Alex D. Vories (Vories 1924)	15.00
Alice Harding (Lemoine 1923)	
Alsace Lorraine (Lemoine 1906)	2.00
Amanda Yale (Brand 1907)	2.00
A. M. Slocum (Franklin)	5.00
A. P. Saunders (Thurlow 1919)	10.00
Archie Brand (Brand 1919)	2.00
Arlequin (Dessert)	10.00
Arlequin (Dessert) Auguste Dessert (Dessert 1920)	7.00
Aureolin (Shaylor 1919)	6.00
Avant Garde (Lemoine)	5.00
Aviateur Reymond (Dessert 1915)	2.00
Ball o' Cetton (Franklin)	15.00
Baroness Schreeder (Kelway)	2.00
Bayadere (Lemoine)	5.00
Beauty's Mask (Hollis 1904)	2.00
Ben Franklin (Brand 1907)	2.00
Biebrich (G. and K)	5.00
Bishop Burke (Vories 1924)	50.00
Brand's Magnificent (Brand 1918)	5.00
Bunker Hill (Hollis 1906)	
Candeur (Dessert 1920)	5.00
Celestia Lewis (Lewis 1921)	5.00
Charles McKellip (Brand 1907)	3.00
Charles Neidel (Wettengel)	4.00
Cherry Hill (Thurlow 1915)	6.00
Chestine Gowdy (Brand 1913)	
Clemenceau (Dessert 1920)	7.00
Cornelia Shaylor (Shaylor 1919)	12.00
Cornelia Shaylor (Shaylor 1919)	12.00
David Harum (Brand 1921)	
Doris (Shayler)	20.00
Edith Forrest (Hollis)	25.00
E. G. Hill (Lemoine 1906)	3.00
Edward W. Becker (Franklin)	5.00
Edwin C. Shaw (Thurlow 1919)	15.00
E. J. Shaylor (Shaylor 1918)	15.00
Elizabeth Barret Browning (Brand 1907)	20.00
Elizabeth Barret Browning (Brand 1907)	6.00

Ella Wheeler Wilcox (Brand 1907)	2.00
Elwood Pleas (Pleas 1900)	3.00
Emma Lewis (Lewis 1923)	15.00
Enchantress (Lemoine 1903)	5.00
Entente Cordiale (Riviere)	10.00
Estavette (Dessert 1910)	3.00
Esther (Terry)	5.00
Eugene Verdier (Calot)	2.00
Eunice Shaylor (Shaylor 1919)	8.00
Evening Glow (Hollis) Exquisite (Kelway 1912)	5.00
Exquisite (Kelway 1912)	5.00
Fannie Lee (Vories 1924)	10.00
Fanny Crosby (Brand 1907)	3.00
Faribault (Brand 1918)	3.00
Florence McBeth (Sass 1924)	25.00
Florence Nightingale (Brand 1907)	3.00
Frances Shaylor (Shaylor 1916)	5.00
Frances Willard (Brand 1907)	4.00
Frankie Curtis (Vories 1924)	50.00
Georgiana Shaylor (Shaylor 1908)	4.00
Ginette (Dessert 1915)	3.00
Ginette (Dessert 1915)	3.00
Golden Dawn (Gumm 1924)	15.00
Goliath (Hollis 1909)	2.00
Grace Lewis (Lewis 1923)	10.00
Grace Loomis (Saunders 1920)	12.00
Grace Ott (Gumm)	15.00
Grover Cleveland (Terry)	2.00
Harriet Beecher Stowe (Hollis)	25.00
Harriet Farnsley (Brand 1916)	3.00
H. F. Reddick (Brand 1913)	2.00
Helen Wolaver (Brand 1918)	2.00
Henry Avery (Brand 1907)	3.00
Henry M. Vories (Vories 1924)	25.00
Isoline (Lemoine)	6.09
James Boyd (Thurlow 1919)	8.00
James Kelway (Kelway 1900)	3.00
James R. Mann (Thurlow 1920)	25.00
Jeanne Gaudichau (Millet 1903)	4.00
Jeannot (Dessert 1918)	10.00
Jennie E. Richardson (Hollis)	25.00
Jessie Shaylor (Shaylor 1916)	5.00

John M. Good (Good and Reese)	30.00
John M. Lewis (Lewis 1922)	12.00
Jubilee (Pleas 1907)	4.00
Judge Berry (Brand 1907)	5.00
Julia Ward Howe (Hollis)	25.00
June Day (Franklin)	5.00
Karl Rosenfield (Rosenfield 1908)	2.00
Katherine Havemeyer (Thurlow 1921)	12.00
Kelway's Glorious (Kelway 1909)	12.00
Kelway's Queen (Kelway)	12.00
Kelway's Spion Kop (Kelway)	25.00
Lady Alexandra Duff (Kelway 1902)	5.00
Lady Caillard (Kelway)	35.00
Lady Kate (Vories 1924)	50.00
La Fayette (Dessert 1904)	2.00
La Fee (Lemoine 1906)	12.00
La France (Lemoine 1901)	6.00
La Lorraien (Lemoine 1901)	6.00
Laura Dessert (Dessert 1913)	10.00
Laura Veries (Veries 1924)	25.00
Le Cygne (Lemoine 1907)	10.00
Lemoine Lewis (Lewis 1923)	10.00
Lewis' American Beauty (Lewis 1921)	10.00
Lillian Gumm (Gumm)	10.00
Libelule (Dessert)	20.00
Libelule (Dessert) Longfellow (Brand 1907)	5.00
Lora Dexheimer (Brand 1913)	
Lorch (G. and K.)	7.00
Lord Kitchener (Renault 1916)	3.00
Louisa Brand (Brand 1913)	2.00
Loveliness (Hollis 1907)	4.00
Luetta Pfeisser (Brand 1916)	8.00
Lucy Dunn (Wettengel 1924)	25.00
Lucy E. Hollis (Hollis 1907)	3.00
Lucy Chaylor (Chaylor)	20.00
Lucy Shaylor (Shaylor) Luclla Shaylor (Shaylor 1919)	4.00
Mabel L. Franklin (Franklin)	5.00
Mad. Auguste Dessert (Dessert 1899)	$\frac{3.00}{2.00}$
Mad. D. Treyeran (Dessert 1899)	$\frac{2.00}{5.00}$
Mad. Francois Toscanelli (Riviere)	$\frac{5.00}{5.00}$
Mad. Gaudichau (Millet 1909)	10.00
	$\frac{10.00}{5.00}$
Mad. Jeanne Revierre (Riviere)	5.00

Mad. Jules Dessert (Dessert 1909)	3.00
Mad. Rousseau (Crousse 1886)	2.00
Margaret Vierheller (Wettengel 1924)	50.00
Marguerite Gaudichau (Millet and Son)	5.00
Marie Crousse (Crousse 1892)	3.00
Martha V. Lane (Wettengel 1924)	50.00
Marie Jacquin (Verdier)	2.00
Marquis C. Lagergreen (Dessert 1911)	2.00
Martna A. Twyman (Wettengel 1920)	50.00
Martha Bulloch (Brand 1907)	7.00
Mary Baker Eddy (Hollis)	3.00
Mary Brand (Brand 1907)	5.00
Mary B. Vories (Vories 1924)	15.00
Mary C. Lewis (Lewis 1921)	10.00
Mary P. King (Franklin)	5.00
Mary Woodbury Shaylor (Shaylor 1916)	20.00
Matilda Lewis (Saunders 1921)	25.00
Maud L. Richardson (Hollis)	3.00
Midnight (Brand 1907)	3.00
Midsummer Night's Dream (Pleas 1906)	3.00
Mignon (Lemoine 1908)	4.00
Minnie Shaylor (Shaylor)	35.00
Milton Hill (Richardson 1891)	5.00
Miss Salway (Kelway 1905)	8.00
Mons. Martin Cahuzac (Dessert 1899)	4.00
Mont Blanc (Lemoine 1899)	3.00
Moses Hull (Brand 1907)	2.00
Mrs. A. G. Ruggles (Brand 1913)	5.00
Mrs. Carew (Brand 1907)	2.00
Mrs. C. S. Minot (Minot 1914)	25.00
Mrs. Charles Gilbert (Shaylor 1919)	4.00
Mrs. Edward Harding (Shaylor 1918)	25.00
Mrs. E. J. Shaylor (Shaylor)	25.00
Mrs. Jennie R. Gowdy (Brand 1921)	10.00
Mrs. John M. Lewis (Lewis 1921)	5.00
Mrs. M. P. Clough (Shaylor 1919)	5.00
Mrs. Shaylor Force (Shaylor)	12.00
Nancy Dolman (Vories 1924)	50.00
Nell Shaylor (Shaylor)	10.00
Nina Secor (Secor)	15.00
Nymph (Harrison)	2.00
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Nymphaea (Thurlow 1919)	7.00
Old Silver Tip (Brand 1918)	5.00
Opal (Pleas 1908)	3.00
Othello (Lemoine 1916)	5.00
Paradise (Hollis 1907)	5.00
Pasteur (Crousse)	2.00
Perrette (Dessert)	8.00
Philippe Rivoire (Riviere 1911)	12.00
Phyllis Kelway (Kelway 1908)	5.00
Phoebe Carey (Brand 1907)	5.00
Pierre Ducharte (Crousse 1895)	3.00
Pink Baroness Schroeder (Kelway)	5.00
Pitti Sinn (Vories 1924)	10.00
President Wilson (Thurlow 1918)	30.00
Pride of Essex (Thurlow 1916)	8.00
Primevere (Lemoine 1907)	4.00
Prince of Darkness (Brand 1907)	2.00
Raoul Dessert (Dessert 1910)	8.00
Reine Hortense (Calot 1857)	2.00
Renee Marie (Dessert 1920)	5.00
Richard Carvel (Brand 1913)	4.00
Rinhasen (Dessert)	20.00
Rita (Dessert)	$\frac{20.00}{20.00}$
Robert Lee Davis (Vories 1924)	10.00
Rosa Bonheur (Dessert 1905)	5.00
Rose Shaylor (Shaylor)	25.00
Rose Standish (Hollis)	25.00
Rosette (Dessert 1918)	6.00
Rouenthal (G. and K.)	5.00
Ruth Brand (Brand 1907)	2.00
Samoset (Hollis)	10.00
Sarah Bernhardt (Lemoine 1906)	2.00
Sarah Carstenson (Terry 1903)	5.00
Sarah K. Thurlow (Thurlow 1921)	10.00
Sarah M. Wettengel (Wettengel 1919)	5.00
Secretary Fewkes (Shaylor 1916)	5.00
Serene (Franklin)	4.00
Shabona (Harrison 1890)	2.00
Shaylor's Dream (Shaylor)	10.00
Silvia (Saunders 1921)	25.00
Solange (Lemoine 1907)	5.00
Sops of Wine (Secor)	5.00
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Souv. de François Ruitten (Riviere)	5.00
Souv. de Gen. Gallieni (Riviere)	15.00
Standard Bearer (Hollis 1906)	12.00
Stephanie (Terry 1891)	2.00
Strassburg (G. and K.)	5.00
Supreme (Hollis)	4.000
Suzette (Dessert 1911)	3.00
Sweetheart (Hollis)	25.00
Tenuifolia Flore Plena (fern)	2.00
The Gem (Pleas 1909)	2.00
Therese (Dessert 1904)	4.00
Thomas C. Thurlow (Thurlow 1919)	30.00
Tourangelle (Dessert 1910)	3.00
Venus (Kelway)	2.00
Vera (Gumm 1924)	10.00
Victorie de la Marne (Dessert 1915)	3.00
Volcan (Lemoine 1908)	3.00
Walter Faxon (Richardson)	5.00
Wenonah (Franklin)	5.00
W. F. Christman (Franklin)	5.00
Wiesbaden (G. and K.)	5.00
Will McLellan (Shaylor)	10.00
Wilton Lockwood (Shaylor 1919)	15.00
William F. Turner (Shaylor 1906)	4.00
Winnifred Domme (Brand 1913)	2.00
Winnekenni (Thurlow)	2.00

LIST NO. 3

Japs and Singles in Peonies	
Akalu\$	3.00
Alfred (Terry)	1.00
Alma (Shaylor)	2.00
Altar Candles (Pleas)	3.00
Ama-no-sode	8.00
Beacon Light (Wettengel)	5.00
Black Prince (Thurlow)	3.00
Bobbie Bee (Hollis)	2.00
Camille (Dessert)	2.00
Caption Alcock (Kelway)	10.00
Clairette (Dessert)	2.09
Clio (Peterson 1901)	1.00
Darkness (Brand 1913)	2.00
Defiance	1.00
Edward VII	5.00
Eileen Kelway (Kelway)	5.00
Fabiola	1.00
Fauvette	2.00
Flashlight (Hollis)	5.00
Fuvaio	12.00
Gold Mine (Hollis)	3.00
Gypsie (Hollis)	2.00
Gypsie (Hollis)	5.0 o
Isani Gidui	12.00
Jessie Kelly (Terry)	1.00
Kameno Kerogoma	3.00
Kelway's Wild Rose (Kelway)	3.00
King of England	5.00
Kn ght of the Thistle (Kelway)	15.00
Lothario (Wettengel 1921)	7.50
Lucienne (Dessert)	2.00
Mafeking (Kelway)	3.00
Magnificence (Kelway)	3.00
Margaret Atwood	8.00
Marguerite Dessert (Dessert 1913)	8.00
May Oleson (Oleson 1924) new single	
pink	5.00
May Davidson	1.00
Mikado (Barr)	3.00

Minerve	2.00
Minnehaha	2.00
Mrs. Woodward (Terry)	1.00
Naubinishiski	1.00
Nellie (Kelway)	3.00
Neptune	1.00
Noonday (Kelway)	5.00
Nymphe (Dessert)	2.00
Othello (Dessert)	3.00
Peter Oleson (Oleson 1924) new single	
red	5.00
Petite Renee (Dessert 1899)	2.00
Pure Love (Kelway)	4.00
Pride of Langport (Kelway)	8.00
Rare Brocade	2.00
Seiru Somae	3.00
Snow Wheel	2.00
Some Ganako	5.90
Tamatbako	20.90
The Bride	2.00
The Dragon (Wallace)	3.00
The Queen	1.00
Tokio	8.00
Torra-no-maki	
Toreador (Wettengel 1921)	3.00
Veloutine (Dessert)	2.90
Yeso	5.90

SISSON'S GLADIOLI

The following varieties of Gladioli we are now growing, in a very limited way. We shall have a few bulbs for sale, but mostly bulblets.

Prices are not quoted because we have no idea of what they will be until Fall. Will simply state that our stock will be for sale at market prices and if you are interested write for special quotations.

We specialize in Metzner and Diener varieties and our list contains their most expensive sorts, many of which are not found listed elsewhere.

Retail Only

Please do not ask for wholesale prices as we are retail only and mean to deal in only the late introductions. We carry some of the standard varieties for gratis purposes.

American Gladiolus Soicety

You should be a member of the American Gladiolus Society. Send your name in to the Secretary, Mr. John C. Davis, 77 South Ave., Rochester, New York, and enclose two dollars. You will receive the Official Bulletin which will keep you in touch with all the news.

MRS. P. W. SISSON

I offered a prize of one hundred dollars cash for a new variety to be used as a Memorial for my mother, Mrs. P. W. Sisson, 1883-1920. This prize was won by Mr. Joe Coleman of Ravenna, Ohio, at the August, 1924, Gladioli Show in New York City.

W. A. SISSON

Mr. Richard Diener of Kentfield, Calif., who has a world-wide reputation as perhaps the greatest introducer of seedlings which produce flowers of sensational size and exquisite colorings, has

very graciously named one of his greatest 1925 novelties for myself.

MARIETTA SISSON

Miss Marietta Sisson of Chicago is the sister who induced me to go into the flower business. To do her honor I have offered a prize of one hundred dollars cash for a new variety to be won at the Rochester Gladioli Show this coming August. This variety will probably be born at this show and on the market by Fall.

All three of the above Sisson varieties are priced at one hundred dollars per bulb. Bulblets ten dollars each.

In listing our gladioli as well as peonies, we do not give descriptions as we hope that our list will not come into the hands of any person who is not familiar and well acquainted with every name mentioned.

W. A. SISSON Rosendale, Wisconsin

Reference: Rosendale State Bank.

GLADIOLUS LIST

Acme (Metzner 1917) Albania (Kemp 1921) Alice Eastwood (Metner 1924) Alice Tiplady (Kunderd 1915) Alma (Diener 1921) Anna Eberius (Diener 1917) Anne Thompson (Diener 1920) Anthony B. Kunderd (Kunderd 1918) Autumn (Kunderd 1917) Aviatrix (Kemp 1922) Beatriz Michelena (Diener 1921) Belvedere (Diener 1924) Bernard Shaw (Diener 1924) Blasco Ibanez (Diener 1924) Bluejacket (Metznzer 1925) Bubbles (Diener 1921) Byrcn L. Smith (Kunderd 1917) Cabernet (Metzner 1925) Cameo (Metzner 1918) Catherine Coleman (Coleman 1919) Caroline Esberg (Diener 1921) Claremont (Salbach 1922) Copper Queen (Metzner 1925) Crinkles (Kunderd 1916) Della Thompson (Metzner 1923) Del Monte (Diener 1924) Detroit (Vaughan 1922) Deutschland (Graetz 1920) Diener's American Beauty (Diener 1917) Dr. C. E. Adams (Metzner 1924) Dr. Adolphe Rosenthal (Diener 1921) Dr. F. E. Bennett (Diener 1921) Dorethy McKibbin (Kunderd 1918) Early Snowflake (Kemp 1921) E. J. Shaylor (Kunderd 1918) Eldora (Kemp 19.24) Elf (Diener 1921) Eldiva (Diener 1921) Elizabeth Tabor

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Elora (Burbank 1922)
Esther Olson (Diener 1921)
Eudora (Diener 1924)
Evelyn Kirtland (Austin 1916)
Fern Kyle (Kunderd 1922)
Flora (Velthuys 1917)
Gesha (Diener 1924)
Geraldine Farrar (Diener 1923)
Giant Nymph (Coleman 1921)
Glendale (Davis 1922)
Golden Measure (Kelway 1912)
Gold (Hoeg 1919)
Henry Ford (Diener 1923)
High Noon (Metzner 1924)
Illuminator
Indian Summer (Kunderd 1917)
J. A. Carbone (Diener 1921)
Jack London (Diener 1917)
Joe Coleman (Kunderd)
Joseph Field (Diener 1921)
Juniata (Kemp 1924)
Juno (Coleman 1921)
Kalamazoo (Vaughan 1922)
Katharine F. Hess (Diener 1923)
Lacinated (Ream 1923)
Lagunitas (Diener 1924)
Lene Graetz (Graetz 1920)
Leota (Coleman 1921)
Le Marechal Foch (Van Deursen 1919)
Lilywhite (Kunderd 1916)
Lucia (Diener 1924)
Louise (Wright)
Marie Kunderd (Kunderd 1918)
Marietta (Metzner 1921)
Marshal Foch (Kunderd 1918)
Mary Pickford (Kunderd 1917)
Mary Alice White (Vaughan 1922)
Maurice Fuld (Gage 1922)
Miss Edith Wooster (Diener 1921)
Mr. Henry Bechman (Diener 1924)
Mr. W. H. Phipps (Diener 1921)
Moonbeam (Diener 1924)
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Morena (Metzner 1925) Mrs. F. C. Peters (Fisher) Mrs. Dr. Norton (Kunderd 1915) Mrs. Frank Morton (Gage 1923) Mrs. J. K. Armsby (Diener 1920) Mrs. John S. Wood (Metzner 1922) Mrs. John R. Walsh (Diener 1920) Mrs. Leon Douglas (Diener 1920) Mrs. Newell Vanderbilt (Diener 1921) Mrs. P. W. Sisson (Coleman 1924) Mrs. Richard Lohrman (Diener 1921) Mrs. Robert Cunningham (Diener 1924) Myra (Kunderd 1918) Nautilus (Coleman 1921) Night Wings (Coleman 1921) Nolene (Diener 1924) Norma Krausgrill (Diener 1920) No. 301 (Metzner 1924) No. 315 (Metzner 1924) Opalescent (Bill) Papilio (Diener 1921) Paramount (Kunderd 1918) Phini (Diener 1924) Pinnacle (Burbank 1915) Pink Wonder (Kemp 1921) Pola Negri (Diener 1923) Princely (Kemp 1923) Purple Glory (Kunderd 1916) Queen Esther (Metzner 1923) Queen of the Night (Diener 1920) Richard Diener (Diener 1917) Romantic (Metzner 1925) Rose Ash (Diener 1921) Rosema (Metzner 1925) Rose Glory (Kunderd 1916) Royal Crown (Metzner 1925) Royal Robe (Metznre 1924) Ruffolace (Kemp 1924) Ruth Taylor (Diener 1921) Salmon Beauty (Kunderd 1916)

San Jose (Diener 1924) Serrata (Bill 1922)

Sharoprose (Coleman 1921) Sheila (Coleman 1921) Shiwassee (Vaughan 1922) Sidney Plummer (Salbach 1923) Sierra (Diener 1921) Silver Moon (Metzner 1923) Southern Skies (Metzner 1924) Souvenir Sovereign (Vaughan 1922) Stanford (Metzner 1921) Superba (Coleman 1923) Sweetheart (Kemp 1922) Sweet Lavender (Coleman 1920) Thos. A. Edison (Diener 1921) Torador (Diener 1924) Vaughan's White (Vaughan 1922) Victoria Fredericks (Diener 1921) Virginia M. Fisher (Diener 1921) Virginia Hale (Kunderd 1921) W. A. Sisson (Diener 1925)

White Dove (Metzner 1924)

White Wonder (Kemp 1921) William G. Badger (Metzner 1923) William Kent (Diener 1917)

Yellow Hammer (Grullemans 1916)

Yellow Prize (Metzner 1923)

I never thought I should go into the flower business, but my sister was the cause of it.

I did not at first care for gladioli. I grew a few but could not see anything pretty about them. Looking about I saw that there were more people engaged in the growing of gladioli than of any other flower. To find out the cause for this I had some friends make up a named list of the leaders. I then bought the bulbs and made a study of them. I soon learned to love them when I knew them by name.

I have always hated Iris from boyhood days where it grew wild on our farm. From year to year my friends have been laboring with me to take on Iris. Last year they made up the following list for me and I have them growing in our garden. Do you think the list is well-balanced?

Afterglow Alcazar Ambassadeur Anna Leslie B. Y. Morrison Cavalier Clump Dalila E. C. Shaw E. H. Jenkins Eldorado Firmament Gov. Hughes Isoline Kochi L. A. Williamson Lohengrin Lord of June Lord Woolsey Loreley Mad. Baze

Mad. Gaudichau Magnifica Opera Parc DeNeuilly Parisianà Pocahontas Quaker Lady Queen Caterina Rhein Nixe Roseway Sarabande Shekina Shrewbury Tomar Virginia Moore W. J. Fryer



